

Q. A new-car sales mandate promoting EVs (electric vehicles) is being implemented in British Columbia. It requires that 26% of all new 2026 model year cars sold be EVs, increasing to 90% by the 2030 model year and 100% by 2035. There will be a \$20,000 penalty applied to each non-EV sold that exceeds the allowed percentage, which is expected to be passed along to new car buyers. Overall, do you support or oppose this new-car EV sales mandate?

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Support strongly	13%	14%	13%	10%	16%	9%	19%	14%	7%
Support somewhat	25%	29%	32%	15%	26%	25%	40%	29%	13%
Oppose somewhat	19%	18%	12%	24%	18%	19%	17%	16%	21%
Oppose strongly	35%	30%	31%	46%	33%	36%	16%	30%	50%
Don't know	9%	9%	12%	5%	7%	11%	7%	10%	8%
SUPPORT (Net)	38%	43%	45%	25%	42%	34%	59%	43%	21%
OPPOSE (Net)	53%	48%	43%	70%	51%	56%	34%	46%	71%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Reviewing current restrictions on the use of nuclear power in BC

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Support strongly	21%	21%	19%	21%	26%	16%	18%	19%	24%
Support somewhat	38%	36%	39%	39%	39%	37%	40%	38%	35%
Oppose somewhat	15%	17%	12%	15%	15%	15%	20%	16%	12%
Oppose strongly	12%	13%	8%	11%	13%	10%	9%	12%	13%
Don't know	15%	13%	22%	13%	7%	22%	13%	16%	15%
SUPPORT (Net)	58%	57%	58%	61%	65%	53%	59%	57%	60%
OPPOSE (Net)	27%	30%	20%	26%	28%	25%	29%	27%	25%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Reviewing current restrictions on building new major hydroelectric dams in BC

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Support strongly	22%	21%	21%	26%	26%	19%	12%	26%	26%
Support somewhat	42%	41%	42%	44%	41%	43%	43%	41%	42%
Oppose somewhat	16%	17%	14%	13%	16%	15%	24%	13%	13%
Oppose strongly	6%	7%	4%	5%	7%	5%	5%	7%	5%
Don't know	14%	14%	18%	11%	10%	18%	15%	14%	14%
SUPPORT (Net)	64%	62%	64%	70%	67%	62%	56%	67%	68%
OPPOSE (Net)	21%	24%	18%	18%	23%	20%	29%	19%	18%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Reviewing current plans to phase out existing natural gas power generation on Vancouver Island and in northeast BC

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Support strongly	16%	17%	18%	12%	17%	15%	16%	19%	13%
Support somewhat	34%	37%	35%	29%	35%	33%	37%	36%	31%
Oppose somewhat	21%	20%	17%	24%	23%	18%	21%	19%	22%
Oppose strongly	14%	10%	14%	20%	15%	12%	13%	9%	17%
Don't know	16%	16%	17%	15%	11%	21%	13%	18%	17%
SUPPORT (Net)	50%	54%	52%	41%	52%	48%	53%	54%	44%
OPPOSE (Net)	34%	30%	31%	44%	38%	31%	34%	28%	39%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Delaying current timelines for greenhouse gas emission reduction targets, such as a 40% reduction by 2030

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Support strongly	20%	20%	19%	20%	22%	18%	19%	19%	20%
Support somewhat	31%	30%	27%	36%	32%	31%	35%	33%	27%
Oppose somewhat	20%	22%	20%	16%	21%	20%	24%	17%	20%
Oppose strongly	15%	15%	11%	17%	16%	13%	11%	15%	16%
Don't know	15%	13%	23%	12%	9%	19%	10%	16%	17%
SUPPORT (Net)	51%	50%	45%	55%	54%	48%	54%	52%	47%
OPPOSE (Net)	35%	37%	31%	33%	37%	33%	35%	32%	36%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Delaying timelines mandating the sale of electric vehicles, such as 90% by 2030

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Support strongly	31%	27%	28%	39%	31%	31%	21%	29%	38%
Support somewhat	29%	31%	27%	28%	29%	30%	32%	31%	27%
Oppose somewhat	18%	21%	22%	11%	21%	16%	23%	16%	17%
Oppose strongly	10%	10%	6%	13%	12%	9%	11%	10%	10%
Don't know	11%	11%	17%	9%	8%	14%	14%	14%	8%
SUPPORT (Net)	60%	58%	55%	67%	59%	62%	52%	60%	65%
OPPOSE (Net)	28%	31%	28%	24%	32%	25%	34%	26%	27%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Expanding solar and wind power projects, and developing geothermal energy sources

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Support strongly	46%	48%	43%	47%	49%	44%	35%	47%	52%
Support somewhat	35%	35%	37%	36%	33%	37%	35%	35%	35%
Oppose somewhat	8%	9%	7%	7%	9%	7%	15%	7%	3%
Oppose strongly	4%	3%	1%	6%	4%	4%	6%	3%	3%
Don't know	7%	6%	13%	5%	6%	8%	8%	8%	6%
SUPPORT (Net)	82%	82%	79%	82%	82%	82%	70%	83%	88%
OPPOSE (Net)	11%	12%	8%	13%	12%	10%	21%	10%	6%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Expanding the distribution infrastructure for hydrogen fuel

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Support somewhat	41%	42%	47%	36%	45%	38%	38%	44%	40%
Oppose somewhat	12%	15%	8%	10%	13%	12%	20%	11%	8%
Oppose strongly	6%	4%	4%	9%	5%	6%	9%	6%	4%
Don't know	25%	21%	31%	29%	16%	33%	19%	22%	32%
SUPPORT (Net)	57%	60%	57%	52%	67%	49%	53%	61%	57%
OPPOSE (Net)	18%	19%	11%	19%	18%	18%	28%	17%	12%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Increasing electricity prices or adding new taxes so as to reduce demand for electricity

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Support somewhat	16%	17%	20%	11%	16%	15%	23%	16%	11%
Oppose somewhat	27%	27%	23%	27%	26%	27%	20%	26%	31%
Oppose strongly	45%	43%	40%	53%	45%	46%	35%	44%	52%
Don't know	5%	4%	10%	4%	5%	6%	8%	6%	4%
SUPPORT (Net)	23%	26%	26%	16%	25%	21%	37%	24%	13%
OPPOSE (Net)	72%	70%	64%	80%	70%	73%	56%	70%	83%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Implementing other policies to reduce electricity usage, such as time of day pricing (higher prices at peak periods and lower prices for off-peak) or higher prices for using more electricity over a certain threshold

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Support somewhat	37%	37%	35%	39%	35%	39%	39%	31%	41%
Oppose somewhat	21%	23%	16%	20%	22%	20%	24%	21%	19%
Oppose strongly	18%	16%	11%	24%	17%	18%	15%	20%	17%
Don't know	10%	8%	18%	7%	8%	10%	7%	13%	9%
SUPPORT (Net)	52%	53%	54%	49%	53%	52%	54%	47%	55%
OPPOSE (Net)	38%	40%	28%	43%	39%	38%	39%	41%	36%

Q. Would you support or oppose each of the following to help meet BC's increased electricity demand over the next few decades? - Saying no to new investment by industries that require large amounts of electricity (e.g. mines, LNG facilities, AI/data centres, cryptocurrency operators)

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Support somewhat	29%	29%	32%	29%	30%	29%	34%	24%	30%
Oppose somewhat	24%	24%	23%	25%	27%	22%	23%	27%	22%
Oppose strongly	13%	14%	5%	16%	18%	8%	12%	14%	13%
Don't know	18%	16%	23%	18%	12%	23%	11%	18%	22%
SUPPORT (Net)	45%	46%	49%	41%	43%	47%	54%	41%	43%
OPPOSE (Net)	37%	38%	28%	40%	45%	30%	35%	41%	35%

Q. An organization called Energy Futures Institute has made the following recommendations to the BC Government to ensure BC has reliable and affordable energy to support economic growth and living standards. Would you support or oppose the provincial government adopting each of the following recommendations? - Implement a real-time public dashboard showing BC's electricity production, use and imports/exports to promote greater transparency and awareness

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Support somewhat	42%	45%	40%	38%	44%	40%	41%	44%	41%
Oppose somewhat	10%	12%	8%	6%	9%	10%	17%	10%	5%
Oppose strongly	2%	2%	-	3%	2%	2%	5%	2%	*
Don't know	11%	10%	14%	11%	8%	14%	11%	13%	11%
SUPPORT (Net)	77%	76%	78%	79%	81%	74%	67%	75%	84%
OPPOSE (Net)	12%	14%	8%	9%	11%	12%	22%	12%	5%

Q. An organization called Energy Futures Institute has made the following recommendations to the BC Government to ensure BC has reliable and affordable energy to support economic growth and living standards. Would you support or oppose the provincial government adopting each of the following recommendations? - Mandate that the provincial government undertake comprehensive cost/benefit analyses and economic impact assessments for all proposed energy policies, to help policy makers make decisions that consider both environmental and economic factors

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Support somewhat	45%	43%	45%	48%	47%	43%	39%	45%	48%
Oppose somewhat	9%	11%	8%	8%	9%	10%	17%	7%	6%
Oppose strongly	3%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	6%	2%	1%
Don't know	13%	11%	15%	14%	8%	16%	11%	14%	13%
SUPPORT (Net)	75%	75%	76%	75%	81%	71%	65%	77%	80%
OPPOSE (Net)	12%	14%	9%	11%	12%	13%	23%	10%	7%

Q. An organization called Energy Futures Institute has made the following recommendations to the BC Government to ensure BC has reliable and affordable energy to support economic growth and living standards. Would you support or oppose the provincial government adopting each of the following recommendations? - Add reliability to the existing legislated energy objectives of affordability, rate stability, self-sufficiency and environmental sustainability to ensure reliability is not overlooked

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Support somewhat	48%	46%	51%	48%	50%	46%	46%	45%	50%
Oppose somewhat	7%	9%	3%	6%	7%	8%	13%	7%	3%
Oppose strongly	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	1%
Don't know	14%	11%	16%	16%	8%	18%	12%	15%	14%
SUPPORT (Net)	77%	77%	81%	76%	83%	72%	70%	76%	82%
OPPOSE (Net)	9%	12%	3%	8%	9%	9%	18%	9%	4%

Q. An organization called Energy Futures Institute has made the following recommendations to the BC Government to ensure BC has reliable and affordable energy to support economic growth and living standards. Would you support or oppose the provincial government adopting each of the following recommendations? - Support reconciliation by providing flexible options for First Nations to participate in projects related to BC's electricity supply and transmission infrastructure

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Support somewhat	39%	41%	34%	40%	38%	41%	37%	34%	44%
Oppose somewhat	14%	16%	13%	11%	16%	12%	24%	13%	8%
Oppose strongly	9%	7%	9%	14%	10%	9%	8%	9%	10%
Don't know	17%	17%	19%	14%	12%	20%	14%	17%	18%
SUPPORT (Net)	60%	60%	59%	61%	62%	59%	55%	61%	63%
OPPOSE (Net)	23%	23%	22%	24%	26%	21%	32%	22%	18%

Q. An organization called Energy Futures Institute has made the following recommendations to the BC Government to ensure BC has reliable and affordable energy to support economic growth and living standards. Would you support or oppose the provincial government adopting each of the following recommendations? - Reassert provincial government jurisdiction over energy policy to prevent individual municipalities from making energy decisions such as banning natural gas hookups which can lead to greater electricity use

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Support strongly	25%	24%	26%	27%	28%	23%	23%	22%	30%
Support somewhat	41%	44%	38%	36%	41%	41%	39%	42%	41%
Oppose somewhat	11%	12%	9%	11%	14%	9%	15%	14%	6%
Oppose strongly	5%	5%	4%	6%	6%	5%	8%	5%	4%
Don't know	17%	14%	24%	19%	11%	22%	14%	17%	19%
SUPPORT (Net)	66%	69%	63%	63%	69%	63%	62%	63%	70%
OPPOSE (Net)	17%	18%	13%	18%	19%	14%	23%	19%	11%